

I want every woman who wishes to improve her complexion—who wishes to have her skin soft as velvet—who would like to have her face free from all skin crubilous and facial bicmishes—to use my Witch Hazel Soap. I want every mother to try this soap on baby and See how quickly it will relieve the little one of all hives, baby rash and chaing. Makes baby sweet as roses.—MUNYON.

### BRAKEMAN KILLED ON ENGINE PILOT

#### Jumped the Rail on Account of Faulty Track-Charge of Criminal 'Assault.

(Special Dispatch to The Times.)

NEWPORT NEWS, VA., March 31.—A<sup>3</sup>
Chesapeake and Ohio yard engine jumped the track this morning. John Robinson, a colored brakeman, sitting on the cowcatcher, was crushed against a car loaded with lumber and killed instantly. The coroner's jury placed the responsibility on the company for faulty track.

A warrant was sworn out this morning by Mrs. R. W. Julian, charging Charles O Toole with attempted criminal assault. The man entered the woman's room about

O Toole with attempted criminal assault. The man entered the woman's room about 4 o'clock in the morning, but was fought and scared off by Mrs. Julian and her two little boys. Some bearders in the house caught O'Toole, but before the po-

from them and made his escape.

A gale of over severay miles an hour has been blowing since 4 o'clock, the storm being o' of the fiercest ever seen in this section. All harbor craft had ample warning and are snugly anchored.

#### EASTER IN FREDERICKSBURG.

#### A Remarkable Runaway in Which No body Got Much Hurt.

body Got Much Hurt.

(Special Dispatch to The Times.)

FREDERICKSBURG, VA., March 21.

The Easter services at the churches here yesterday were on an unusually diaborate scale, the music being of a very high order. All the churches were crewed, and at St. George's the collection for missions for the day amounted to over \$309.

key, John Rosebro, of the Theological

lady out of the buggy, but before he could reach the ground himself the horse was up and off again. He finally reached the main road and soon overturned the buggy, throwing Mr. Gravatt out but not seriously injuring him. The horse then became free from the buggy and ran all the way to the city.

Mr. R. L. Biscoe, of this city, has purchased the line Powell farm near Belmont in Soutstylvania county for the

in Spotsylvania county, for the

sum of \$2,500.

Mr. Thomas M. Ryland, only son of Mr. Joseph Ryland, of King and Queen county, died a few days ago at Pine Pluft, Ark., aged twenty-three years. He was a very promising and popular young man, and left Virginia last summer to plugage in business in Arkansas.

Mr. J. Wilmore Wilcox has purchased of Mrs. Martha Cooped, of Morrisville, two hundsome huliding lots in the north-

two handsome building lots in the north-western section of the city.
Mr. Maurice Alcott, of Pennsylvania,
who purchased the wreck of the steamer Richmond, which was burned here a few months ago, has moved that portion of it above the water, and is now engaged

In blowing up the hull.

A number of families who sold their property in Fauquier county within the past two years and went West have re-turned to Virginia and purchased land near their former homes. They say Vir-ginia is good enough for them.

#### SPLENDID EASTER OFFERING.

Paster Called to the First Presbyterian Church-The Second Use Synagogue.

(Special Dispatch to The Times.) NORFOLK, VA., March 31.—Rev. Sampel Semple, of Titusville, Pa., has been called to the pastorate of the First Presbyterian Church, of Norfolk, He will, it is anticipated, accept. The Easter offering at Epworth M. E.

Church yesterday re-ulted in the contribu-tion of \$41,200 by those who have proxised to pay that sum upon the church debt of \$55,000 within the next fifty-four

The Second Presbyterian Church con gregation has accepted the fraternal of-fer of Ohef Sholm congregation, and will, until their church is built, worship in the aplendid new Hebrew Synagogue,

#### OVERBOARD AND DROWNED.

Jim Bruce, Colored, Loses His Life While Fishing in the Roanoke.

(Special Dispatch to The Times.) CLARKSVILLE, VA. March 31.—Jim Bruce, colored, was blown overboard while fishing in the Roaneke River by the high wind about 5 o'clock this after-noon and was drowned. His body was not recovered.

Suspected of Lawson's Assassination.

(Special Dispatch to The Times.)
WILSON, N. C., March 31.-A white man named Carter is being held on suspicion by Duplin county authorities as implicated in the murder of Kit Lawson, a prominent citizen of Smith's Town-

Lawson was murdered one night last reck, being shot from the dark through a window while sitting conversing with gentleman in his home.

#### STEEL CORPORATION.

More Than Ordinary Interest Attaches to the Meeting To-Morrow. (By Associated Press.)

NEW YORK, March 31.-The directors of the United States Steel Coporation wil hold their regular monthly meeting to-morrow. More than ordinary interest attaches to this meeting by reason of the fact that the corporation has just completed its first year of actual operations. It is not unlikely that an estimate of earnings for the last month will be issued, together with other details of in-

terest to shareholders.

Details of the proposed preferred stock refunding plan will be made public in a

### **STRIKERS RESUME WORK IN NORFOLK**

Railway and Light Company Will Take on Most of Old Men.

#### NORFOLK SOCIETY IN FLUTTER

The Officers of the Austrian Cruiser to Attend a Flower Ball-The Warship Had a Rough Time Outside and Lost a Quartermaster.

(Special Dispatch to The Times.)

NORFOLK, VA., March 31.—The Norfolk Railway and Light Company have re-employed a considerable number of their employes who were on strike and who surrendered on Saturday and agreed to resume work alongside non-union men. it now appears as though the company will shortly take on nearly all the ninety-seven men who applied for reinstatement. (Special Dispatch to The Times.)

A SOCIETY EVENT.

Norfolk society is fluttering to-day over the fact that the Austrian officers now

the fact that the Aŭstrian officers now here are to attend to-morrow night a flower ball given for charity's sake. At the ball Mrs. James G. Leigh and Mrs. R. A. Dobie' are, among other society women, patronesses.

The splendid Austrian cruiser which arrived here yesterday from Hamilton, Permuda, met a storm outside and lost her quartermaster, Johan Rettich, of Bohemia. The sea was very heavy.

her quartermaster, Johan Rettich, of Bohemia. The sea was very heavy.

A ROUGH TALE.

Captain Prapotnik, who speaks five languages, of which English is not one, said that had man been meant to navigate the water he would have had fins. This apropos of the statement that on the two last days of last week the big cruiser stood on her head and lay down intermittently, while water poured over her and no meals might be served aboard. Captain Alois Prapotnik, commanding Captain Alois Prapotnik, commanding S. M. Szirgetvar (Austrian cruiser), and Linienschiff-Sfahmrich Adolf Potocuic cali-ed upon Colonel William Lamb, Imperial German vice-consul, this morning. They were arrayed like Easter lilies.
THE INVITATION.

Upon invitation of Colonel Lamb, a number of the Austrian officers will at-tend the "flower ball." The following officers were also ashore

coast ports.

kev. John Rosebro, of the Theological Semidary at Richmond, preached at the Presbyterian Church in the absence of Rev. J. W. Rosebro, the pastor.

There were no services at the Methodist Church, owing to the absence of Rev. George T. Tyler, the pastor, who is in Baltimore attending conference.

Yesterday while Mr. H. H. Gravatt and Miss Nettie Eastburn were driving in the country about three miles from the city, the bit in the horse's mouth broke and he ran away. Leaving the road, the horse went through fields, over ditches, through a wire fence and finally fell, when Mr. Gravatt lifted the young lady out of the buggy, but before he could REFUSED TO PAY TOLL.

Methodists Meet in Synagogue. (Special Dispatch to The Times.)

BALTIMORE, MD., March 31.—The Baltimore Conference of the Methodist Episcopal Church, South, to-day decided to hold its next annual session at Fredcricksburg. Va.

ericksburg, Va.

The conference elected its alternate clerical delegates to the general conference as follows: Rev. J. W. Duffy, presiding elder of Washington District; Rev. B. W. Bond, presiding elder of East Baltimore District; Rev. David Bush, presiding elder of Roanoke District. Conference was amused by Rtv. J. M. Anderson, pastor of a congregation in Cumberland, stating that he had no church, and that through the kindness of the Jews there they had been permitted to

Jews there they had been permitted to hold services in the synagogue.

The financial report shows the collection for foreign missions was \$10,832.15; for domestic missions, \$7,563.32. Total. \$18,598.47. There was an increase of nearly \$4,000 in each instance. The ap-

Best Goods for the Least Money.

	Lion Coffee in 1-lb packages	9
j	American Granulated Sugar	
	Liberty Laundry Soap, 10 bars	
Ì	White A Sugar, 6 lbs for	2
	Pure Lard, per pound	5
Ĭ	Good Salt Pork, per pound	250

Quaker or Cordova Coffee, per pound.....

Postum Cereal, per package..... New Raisins, 4 pounds for . ..... 25c

Small Smithfield Hams, per lb	14c
Mountain Roll Butter, per lb	15c

Silver King Flour, per bbl \$4.40
Silver King Flour, per bag 28c
Jefferson Spring Wheat Flour, per 29c
bbl. \$4.50, per bag
Small Corned, Fresh or Smoked Cali-
fornia Hams, per lb 9c

	-
Large Burbank Irish Potatoes, pk	25c
American Sardines, can	Зс

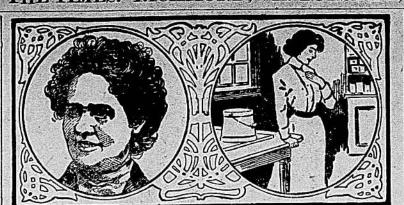
200	Four-String Brooms 1
	Best Feed Corn, per bushel 7
10000	Brown Stuff, per 100 lbs \$1.
	New Raisins, 4 lbs 2
	Best Cream Cheese, per lb 1

#### 1-2 lb. cans Chipped Beef, 9c, or 3 cans for... 25c Labrador Herring, doz..... 10c

13 Large Bars Dewey Soap ..... 250 Best City Meal, per peck ..... 200 Ginger Snaps or Soda Crackers,

## Uneeda Biscuit, per package.... 4c

S. ULLMAN'S SON, 1820-1822 East Main Street, 506 East Marshall Street, 1212-1214 Hull St., Manchester. Both 'Phones All Our Stores.



Mrs. Florence Nightingale Belknap, Vice-President San Francisco Round Table, and a Prominent Member of Pentecost Church of that City, Cured of Fearful Female Troubles by Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound. Read Her Letter.

"DEAR MRS. PINKHAM: - I, wish to thank you for the benefit your medicine has done me; I cannot speak too highly in praise of it. After my child was born I was left in a very bad condition. I flowed three weeks out of the month; I suffered for months, and finally consulted three physicians. Two of them said I had a tumor, and the third one said I was going into consumption. I was sick and tired, and could not perform my household duties. Finally a friend urged me to try Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound. I really had no faith in it, although I had often heard of its wonderful cures; but the fact was I had no faith or interest in anything any more. I finally decided to try it; after the first bottle I felt immensely better, and after taking the sixth bottle I was entirely cured, and felt like a new woman. I consider it woman's friend, and would never be without it in the house. O, what a lot of misery and suffering could be avoided if all women only knew of the wonderful power of Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound to cure their ills." MRS. N. BELKNAP, 1222 Leavenworth St., San Francisco, Cal.

\$5000 FORFEIT IF THE ABOVE LETTER IS NOT GENUINE.

pointments will be made to-morrow. The members of the conference were given a reception this evening at the residence of Mayor Hayes.

#### WILLIAMSBURG POLITICS.

The Candidates Favor a Primary—The

Bank Elects Officers.

(Special Dispatch to The Times.)

WILLIAMSBURG, VA., March 31.—The The "inner man" was carefully looked after, from the wild fowl of Buck Bay has recommended Messrs, H. B. Smith.

R. G. Barlow and James T. Christian to the Legislature as the personnel of the lightly of cylors and vies of the most delicate of the form yard were served in exquisite style; and Miss Annie Best, of this place, presided at the organ.

Dinner each day was served on the ground to about three hundred people. The "inner man" was carefully looked after, from the wild fowl of Buck Bay to the most delicate of the farm yard were served in exquisite style; and the most delicate on the people. When the properties of the properties o

Mr. J. T. Christian is the only new member, vice T. J. Topham, removed. All of the candidates for municipal of fices favor a primary, which will be held on Thursday, April 25th. Mayor J. L. Mercer will be unanimously renominated. For City Sergeant there are a number of applicants, each of whom would make an efficient officer. They are R. C. Law-son, Ernest Jones, H. Harrison and Frank Armistead, son of Commonwealth's At-

orney Armistead.
Mr. J. T. Binns, Commissioner of Revenue, is being opposed by T. D. Saun-ders, an ex-commissioner. All are mak-ing sharp fights, and it is impossible to predict who will be the successful can-

At a recent meeting of the Peninsula Bank directors the following officers were re-elected: President, M. R. Harrell; vicepresident, R. L. Spencer; cashier, H. N. Phillips; assistant eashier, R. J. Barlow. The business of the bank has increased so rapidly that an additional clerk will be necessary.

#### SPRING DAYS AT KESWICK.

An Elegant Birthday Party by Mr. and Mrs. Galt-Col. Rives Better.

(Special Dispatch to The Times.)
KESWICK, VA., March 31.—On Thursevening, March 27th, Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Galt, of Washington, D. C., who are spending the season at "Clover Field," entertained their gentlemen friends at a birthday dinner in honor or Mr. Galt's

a birthday dinner in honor or Mr. Galt's forty-fifth birthday.
Covers were laid for fourteen, the decorations being smilax and carnations, which harmonized beautifully with the soft red color effects of the lights.
Those presents were: Messrs. Murray Boocock, E. G. Money, W. E. Money, Dr. Morris.

Boocock, E. G. Money, W. E. Money, Dr. Thurman, Julian Morris, Dick Morris, Frank Randolph, George Macon, of Keswick; Charles Moore, of Charlottesville; Dr. Armstrong, of New York; Albert Tally, and Dick Tally, of Washington; Roger Hooper and Augustus Downing, of New York. Mrs. Galt, Mrs. A. M. Tally and Mrs. Margaret Randolph presided. Colonel R. L. Rives, who has been quite in in Mayloo is now cenvalescent.

Colonel R. L. Rives, who has been quite ill in Mexico, is now cenvalescent.

Mrs. Allan Potts and her sister, Miss Vauder Rives, of Castle Hill, are visiting in Richmond. The former with her two hunters, Brunette and Bachelor, is taking in the spring hunt of the Deep Run Club

Run Club.

Messrs. Roger Hooper and Augustus
Downing, of New York, are added to the
"Clover Field" guests, who are enjoying
the horseback riding these fine spring Run Club. days, with occasional games of golf, ten-

#### WILOX LIKELY TO HANG.

Public Sentimeut Has Not Changed as to His Guilt and Sentence.

(Special Dispatch to The Times.)
SUFFOLK, VA., March 31.—Notwithwithstanding so many people at a distance cannot understand how James Wilwas convicted on the evidence, mor cox was convicted on the evidence, most Elizabeth City folks regard the death sentence as righteous, and think it will stand. District Attorney Ward said to-day, in part: "The notice of appeal has been served on me, and the case will probably be heard in the Supreme Court in August next. Lam of the opinion Will in August next. I am of the opinion Wil-cox cannot get a new trial. However, no one can tell about that. Public sentiment has not changed any as to the verdict and guilt of Wilcox."

### OLD-TIME CHURCH MEETING

The Portsmouth Baptist Association in Session in Princess Anne. (Special Dispatch to The Times.)

(Special Dispatch to The Times.)

BLOSSOM HILL, VA., March 31.—The union meeting of the Portsmouth Baptist Association took place at Oak Grove Baptist Church, near this place, Friday and Saturday last. Mr. A. B. Walker, of Norfolk, was moderator, and Mr. T. J. Garnett was secretary. The Rev. Dr. Hall, of Park-Avenue Baptist Church, Norfolk, breached the opening sermon. The attendance was quite large. Much interest was manifested and the work of the church earefully inquired into. Some preferred the "old way" of doing things to the "new" and more modern ways. Some of the speeches along that line were very of the speeches along that line were very effective. There was some disposition and inclination on the part of those present to censure the members of the city 'lature.

church for lack of interest. It was gene church for lack of interest. It was generally conceded that if the city ministers would take more interest much good would be accomplished. Rev. Drs. Hall and J. T. Riddick were the only ministers from any city.

The music was considered fine. Miss Ethel T. Payne, of Charlottesville, and Miss Annie Rest of this place. presided

the Legislature as the personnel of the Electoral Board.

Mr. J. T. Christian is the only new member, vice T. J. Topham, removed.

All of the candidates for municipal ofof the hospitality of the members and friends of old Oak Grove Church.

Knott's Island, N. C., was selected as the place to hold the next union meeting, which will be on Friday and Saturday before the fifth Sunday in June.

#### ROCK THROWN INTO TRAIN.

Miss Rosa Tayloe, of Charlottesville, Struck in the Face.

(Special Dispatch to The Times.) FREDERICKSBURG, VA., March 31. As the "five-thirty" train from Washing-ton entered the city this afternoon some one threw a rock at it. The missile entered the window and struck Miss Rosa Tayloe, of Charlottesville, on the side of the face, inflicting a painful though not serious wound. Miss Tayloe wan en route to this city

to visit friends, and is now resting quietly at the residence of Mr. H. H. Wallace. The miscreant is unknown.

#### FIRE AT BLACKSTONE.

Hoge Academy Cadets Do Good Work

in Saving a Residence. (Special Dispatch to The Times.) BLACKSTONE, VA., March 31.—Two small frame buildings owned by Mr. S. S. Davis here burned to-day. Cadets Wood and Nottingham, of the Hoge Academy, saved the fine residence belonging to Mr. C. H. Robertson by climbing the lightning rods to the top of the building and with buckets of water extinguished the fewer. tinguished the flames.

Gayety in Cumberland. (Special Dispatch to The Times.) CUMBERLAND C. H., March 31.—A de-lightful party was given at Mr. J. M. Vaughan's Friday night; dancing con-tinued until 12 o'clock when an elegant supper was served. Dancing was then continued until a late hour. Those par-ticipating were: Misses James and Vaughan, from Goochland: Vaughan and James. from Farmville Normol School; Bessi Vaughan, Lillian Rudd, Fannie Foster Eugene Foster, from Cumberland C. H. Gentlemen present were: Messrs. Wei-siger, Willie Foster, Thornton Foster, Shepard. E. B. Woodson, H. D. Woodon, Richard Jeffries, George Meador and Raleigh Godsy, from Cumberland C. H.

There will be a large crop planted this

#### Chesterfield Chat.

(Special Dispatch to The Times.)
BEACH, VA., March 31.—There will be an entertainment at Mr. P. B. Clark's hall to-night for the beneat of the Court. house Y. There will be another there April 5th.

Mrs. C. E. Spinner is in very po

health. Mrs. Spinner is having an addition built to her house.

Miss Josie De Raisne, Miss Mary Kidd and Mr. Waverly Kidd were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Crostick last night.

Store and Tenements Burn.

(Special Dispatch to The Times.) NORFOLK, VA., March 31.-Stoddard's store, at Percy Avenue and Frincess Anne Road, was destroyed by fire, which was discovered shortly after 5 o'clock this morning. Subsequently four tenements adjoining, which were occupied by colored people, caught afire and were burned

#### ARKANSAS ELECTION.

Defeated by Ex-Governor James P Clarke for United States Senate. (By Associated Press.)

LITTLE ROCK, ARK., March 31.—Returns from the Democratic primaries here Saturday show that ex-Governor James P. Clarke has been endorsed for United States Senator, and that Governor Davis has carried sixty-five cut of the seventy-five counties of the State.

At the headquarters of Senator Jones

a telegram was received to-day an-nouncing that Washington county, which was supposed to be for Jones, had gone for Clarke by nearly 800 majority.

Clarke will apparently have a majority of twelve on joint ballot in the Legis-

### THEMETHODISTS OF PETERSBURG

The Pastors All Make Good Reports of Their Charges.

A CHICKEN THIEF MALIGNED

He Did Not Die of a Wound in the Back. but of Pneumonia-His Understudy Not So Shrewd as Old Man and

is Bagged Instead of Fowls.

(Special Dispatch to The Times.)
PETERSBURG, VA., March 31.—All the Methodist preachers at their meeting this morning had good reports to make of their charges. Mr. Lipscomb, of Wash-mgton-Street Church said his people had contributed \$38 toward the building of a church in Cuba. He reported ten con-vensions during the services recently held at his church. Nearly a thousand people heard Rev. George E. Booker last night on "What kind of body we shall have in the Resurrection." Mr. Booker is one of the best speakers in this city, and his church is always crowded. After the ser-mon last night thirteen persons made a

profession of religion. The most elaborate musical programmes for Easter were rendered by the choirs at Grace Episcopal Church and St. Joseph's Catholic Church.

A FALSE REPORT.

Moses Medley, the notorious negro chicken thief, died at his home in this city yesterday morning. It was reported that Medley died from a gun-shot wound in the back. The coroner made an examination of the body, and found the rumor to be false. His death was caused

by pneumonia.

Medley had been whipped at the post and had served terms in the jail and the penitentiary for stealing chickens. He was shrewd in his work, and although most of the thefis of chickens in Petersburg pointed to him, it was rare that suffi-cient evidence could be secured to convict

Joseph Whim, one of his disciples, took up the old man's work yesterday morning, and robbed the hennery of Mary Harrison, colored, on Cedar Street. Officer Heelan carried Winn to the station-house and found on him a 44-calibre pistol with every chamber loaded. The mayor this morning sent the negro on for trial in the Hustings Court on the charge of breaking into the chicken house and gave him 30 days in jail and fined him \$50 for carrying a pistol.

HOLD-UP IN PETERSBURG.

Mr. Mack McKenney was assaulted late son, colored, on Cedar Street, Officer Hee-

Mr. Mack McKenney was assaulted late Saturday night by a negro in this city and was quite seriously injured by being struck on the head by a heavy piece of timber. Daniel Bridgeport is under artificial production. rest on the charge of having committed the assault, and his trial will take place as soon as Mr. McKenney is well enough

to appear against him.

The Lotus Glee Club closed the Star course at the Young Men's Christian As-

sociation to-night.

Mr. William M. Smithson and Miss Namie E. Elder were quietly married this morning at the residence of Rev. J. R. Dean, in this city. The large tree in front of the residence of the late General Mahone, on Market Street, was blown down this morning, but

#### 10 one was injured. EXPERIENCE SOCIAL.

Amateurs of Burkeville Gives Concert at

Crewe. (Special Dispatch to The Times.) CREWE, VA., March 31.—The Ladies' Aid Society of the Methodist Church gave an "Experience Social" Thursday night an "Experience Social" Thursday night in the Y. M. C. A. Hall. A good pro-gramme, consisting of music and recita-tions, was well rendered. Mr. Jesse Har-vey, by special request, gave his famous darkey sermon. A concert by Burkeville talent was given at the Y. M. C. A. Hall Friday night

at the Y. M. C. A. Hall Friday night under the supervision of Mrs. J. L. Brad-shaw and Miss Fannie-Shelton, of Burke-ville, Va., for the benefit of the Aid So-

ville, Va., for the better of the Ald So-ciety of Crewe Baptist Church. Mrs. Gale, wife of Rev. Finley Gale, who some years ago was pastor of the Methodist Church here, is visiting Mrs. J. W. Bryant. Miss Eva. Whitmore, of Cambridge, Massleyd, is visiting her uncle, Mr. E. Maryland, is visiting her uncle, Mr. E. Maryland, is visiting her uncle, Air. B. Robinette, on Virginia Avenue.

Mr. A. C. Calhoun, of whose illness mention has been made in your paper, is now in Richmond for medical treatment.

Miss Sarah Hardy, of Greenbay, is visiting Mrs. George Richardson. Rev. L. E. Scott, pastor of the Preskey. L. E. Scott, pastor of the Pres-byterian Church here, will preach in Stf-folk Sunday. This was Mr. Scott's Suf-charge after leaving the Seminary, and the people there extended him an invita-tion to come and preach to them.

### ENORMOUS POTATO CROP.

The Talk of a New Railroad on the East-

ern Shore Creates Much Interest. (Special Dispatch to The Times.)
FRANKTOWN, VA., March 31.—The past week has been one of great activity among the farmers, and potato planting has been pushed to a finish. Perhaps the largest group in the history of the lagest crop in the history of the county has been prpagated. One farmer has planted 800 barrels.

planted 800 barrels.

The talk of a new railway from Greenback, Md., running south through these counties via Norfolk, thus connecting distant points north and south, is exciting a great deal of interest here and in Accomac, and speculation is rife as to what course it will take. No matter which what course it will take. No latter when way the wheels may run, values are greatly enhancing on these shores.

Mr. George F. Whitman and Miss Lillian Lank were married on Wednesday, the 26th, in Elliott's Neck.

Bishop Randolph, of the Southern Virginia Diocese, preached a very clever and spiritual sermon on Thursday, the 27th, in Hungars Church.

#### VETERAN DROPS DEAD. Governor Thompson Demands Reforms

at Phoebus and Opens the Gate. (Special Dispatch to The Times.)
NEWPORT NEWS, VA., March 31,—
Alfred James, aged sixty-five, a veteran
of the First Regiment, Delaware Volun-

Hampton this afternoon of heart disease. Governor Thompson, of the Soldiers' Home, to-day rescinded his order closing the Phoebus gate of the Soldiers' Home upon the promise of the citizens to break upon the promise of the citizens to break up the robbery of old soldlers in Phoebus and to institute certain other reforms of similar character. Several dive-keepers will be refused licenses.

#### YORKTOWN PROSPERING...

# Schumann-Heink Used a **Steinway Piano**

That is one of six different makes for which we are the exclusive representatives in this section. If you buy of us you get the advantage, not only of this unequaled selection, but also of the excellent values which the magnitude of our business enables us to offer.

### Steinway, Knabe, Hardman, Kimball, Standard, Haines

are artistic creations, preferred alike by artists and by the

musical public. We sell on convenient monthly installments and point to the reputation of our house as a guarantee of best service and honorable treatment under all circumstances. Don't buy a "CHEAP" Piano—a Piano of no REPUTATION has no value.

The Pianoia,
The Product
The P The Product telegraphy of Progress, and the horse less carriage, is it to be won-dered that inventive minds have produced a Piano Player-whi loes the work formerly depend ent upon the fingers?

It seems wonderful. It is wonderful. The popularity of the Pianola attests this.

VISITORS WELCOME.

A Safeguard Against Boredom.

The Regina How often after a trying day are Music Box. you restless, unpervish—and just in the mood when music as a mental soothing syrup would appeal to you most? And how often does it happen that someone is at hand who can and will play for you? who can and will play for you?

The Regina Music Box solves
the problem in such cases.

## Walter D. Moses & Co.,

Largest and Oldest Music House in Virginia, 103 East Broad St.

Correspondence Solicited and Promptly Answered Descriptive Catalogue Matled Free on Application



## Wedding Ware.

Sterling Silver is pre-eminently the walding ware! It lasts and can be handed down from one generation to another—and prized more and more by each succeeding generation. We show a complete line of the most desirable styles in

C. Lumsden & Son,

Manufacturing Jewelers and Opticians, 731 E Main Street.

## Wedding Announcements, Calling Cards.

Plate and 100 Visiting Cards, with your name, engraved in the correct style.

Monogram stamping and embossing done—all at lowest p.ssible prices. We have the latest styles of paper in all the latest shades.

The Bell Book and Stationery Co.,

914 East Main St.

# Diamonds

were never so popular; there's a perfect craze for them. The best investment you can make is to put your surplus money in Diamonds. We have an artistic assortment of

Pins, Rings and Brooches. It's easy to open a charge account with us and pay weekly or monthly.

DEALINGS Fe sure of 'Name and Address.

802 E. MAIN ST.

CUSTOMERS COMPANY. Man Orders Promptly Attended to

The prespects of this road coming here has enhanced the value of property considerably. Some weeks ago a lot of fifty feet was sold for \$150 without improve-

ments.
A.s. Davenport, wife of Commander
Davenport, of the United States training
ship Essex, and her sister, are stopping
at the Bay View House, and will remain
here while the Essex is in this port.

#### DEAD IN HIS ROOM.

lation. Coroner Nevitt probably will sign a certificate giving the cause of death as a certificate giving the cause of death as accidental. An identification card gave Harville's home as I anville, together with the information that his wife lives there. A card of the Brotherhood of Railway Trainmen, issued at Spencer, N. C., indicates that Harville was a railroad employe. Telegrams were sent to both cities. Yesterday evening a reply was received from Danville instructing the police to send the body to the place for several. MACON, GA .- In a freight wreck on

on and that death resulted from asphyx-

Value of Property.

(Special Dispatch to The Times.)

YORKTOWN, VA. March 31.—Citizens are making an effort to get the power-lines of the electric road, which is soon to be built, located here, and will offer inducements to that end, this place being about the center of the line from Jamestown to Old Point.

Linning on Gas.

(Special Dispatch to The Times.)

WASHINGTON, March 31.—J. T. Harville, thirty-six years of age, whose home is at Danville, Var, was found dead in his room at a lodging-house, No. 468 Pennsylvania Avenue, yesterday. Odor of escaping gas attracted attention to the room occupied by the stranger. Investigation which the men were riding, broke, described to the line from Jamestown to Old Point.

MACON, GA.—In a freight wreck on the Macon, Dublin and Savannah Rali-road to-day, twelve linemen were injured. Henry Causey and David Philpot (new process) who were brought to the hospitation of the control of the process of the Macon, Dublin and Savannah Rali-road to-day, twelve linemen were injured. Henry Causey and David Philpot (new process) who were brought to the hospitation of the process of the Macon, Dublin and Savannah Rali-road to-day, twelve linemen were injured. Henry Causey and David Philpot (new process) who were brought to the hospitation of the process of the Macon, Dublin and Savannah Rali-road to-day, twelve linemen were injured. Henry Causey and David Philpot (new process) who were brought to the hospitation of the process of the Macon, Dublin and Savannah Rali-road to-day, twelve linemen were injured. Henry Causey and David Philpot (new process) who were brought to the hospitation of the process of the Macon, Dublin and Savannah Rali-road to-day, twelve linemen were injured. Henry Causey and David Philpot (new process) who were brought to the hospitation of the process of the Macon, Dublin and Savannah Rali-road to all the Macon, Dublin and

Virginia Man Committed Suicide by Prospects of an Electric Line Enhances Turning on Gas.